



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q68584

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Appln. No.: 10/069,148

Group Art Unit: 1647

Confirmation No.: 7696

Examiner: Landsman, R.

Filed: June 24, 2002

For: **METHOD OF IDENTIFYING PROPERTIES OF SUBSTANCE WITH RESPECT TO
HUMAN PROSTAGLANDIN D RECEPTORS**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of January 8, 2004 to May 8, 2004.

A check for the statutory fee of \$110.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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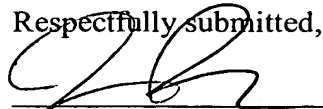
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